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AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

AMCONSUL DHAHRAN

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BEIRUT FOR RTDO

E.O. 11652/ N/A

TAGS: BEXP, SA

SUBJECT: BUILDING MATERIALS EXHIBITION

REF: A. STATE 15358; B. JIDDA 768

1. REPRESENTATIVE OF MBM INT'L HAS NEVER TURNED UP.
 2. IN VIEW OF CONTINUING DIFFICULTIES WITH RIYADH SITE, RECOMMEND THAT LOCATION BE CHANGED TO EITHER JIDDA OR DHAHRAN, WHERE THERE ARE EXISTING FACILITIES. WHILE WE APPRECIATE ORIGINAL COMMERCE PREFERENCE FOR RIYADH, IT WAS AT BEST NEVER MORE THAN marginally PREFERABLE TO THE OTHER POSSIBLE SITES. IN VIEW OF THE EXCELLENT POTENTIAL HERE TOGETHER WITH THE HIGH INTEREST AMONG THE INDUSTRY IN THE U.S., WE SHOULD NOT JEOPARDIZE THE EXECUTION OF THIS EVENT BY CONTINUING TO FIXATE ON RIYADH AS A SITE. RTDO BEIRUT HAS PREVIOUSLY APPROVED AL-GOSAIBI HOTEL IN DHAHRAN AS SUITABLE. THERE ARE ALSO TWO OR THREE POSSIBLE SITES IN JIDDA, ALTHOUGH THE INFLUX OF HAJ PILGRIMS WHICH WILL BE BEGINNING IN NOVEMBER MAY CREATE SOME LOGISTICS PROBLEMS.
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